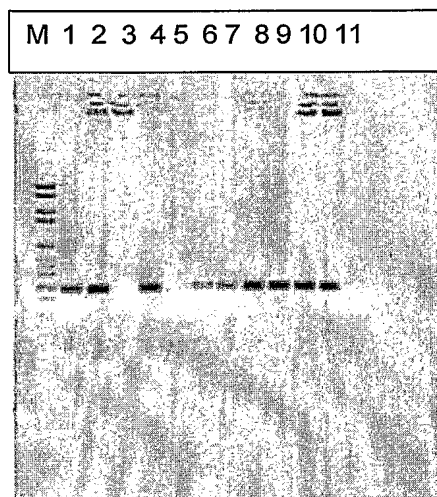


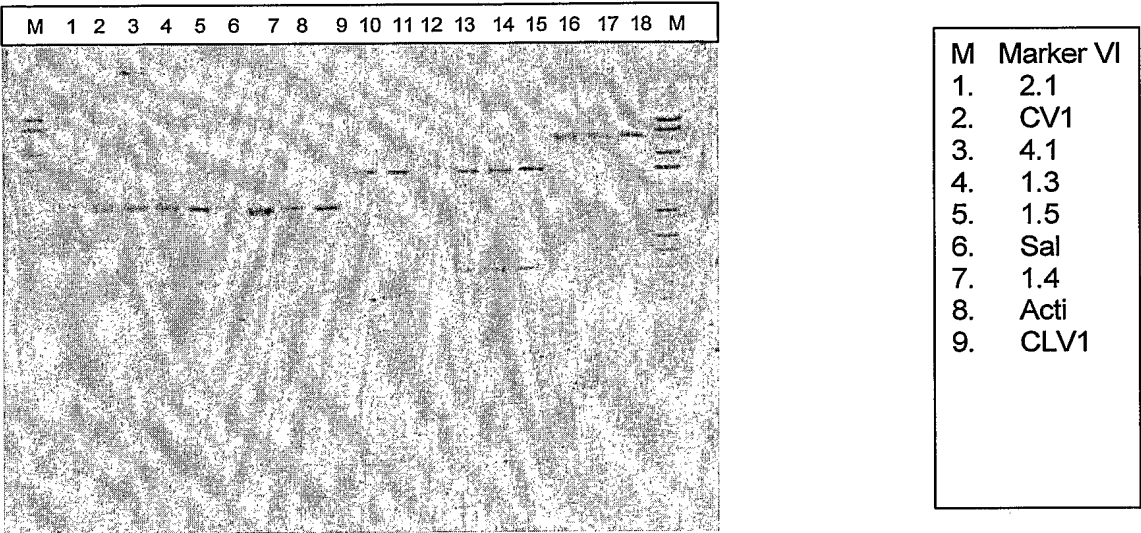
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Fig. 1.**PCR Y2/PARA for identification of strain *L. paracasei* IMPCI 2.1**

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| M | Marker VI |
| 1. | 2.1 |
| 2. | CV1 |
| 3. | 4.1 |
| 4. | 1.3 |
| 5. | 1.5 |
| 6. | Sal |
| 7. | 1.4 |
| 8. | Acti |
| 9. | B21060 |
| 10. | CLV1 |
| 11. | B21070 |

Fig. 2.

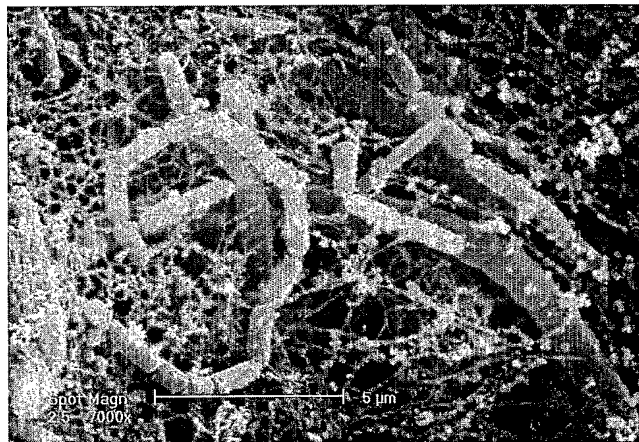
Confirmation of the identification of *L. paracasei* IMPC 2.1 by ARDRA



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Fig. 3.

Adhesion of *L. paracasei* IMPC 2.1 to intestinal pig mucus (SEM observation)



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Fig. 4.

[Below: [above, control pericarp (SEM observation)] Adhesion of *L. paracasei* IMPC 2.1 on the pericarp below]

